

Upzoning for Normandy Properties

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City Clerk Agenda

To: City Council <CityCouncil@CambridgeMA.GOV>;

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As a 25+ year Cambridge resident who lives in Central Square I am writing to urge you to defeat the up zoning proposal that would permit Normandy properties to build a 19 story building on Massachusetts Avenue.

This tower is 2 1/2 times what is currently permitted and 40% larger than the draft C2 zoning. Making a decision such as this, in effect zoning for a single block rather than the entire city or neighborhood is not responsible planning or responsible government.

Your duty is to the entire community, not to a single developer. You should let this up zoning expire without a vote and begin planning for the entire Central Square area.

Sincerely,

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